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**Per your request, attached is a copy the Response and Amendment dated February 25, 2002, as well as another copy of the Communication Supplemental Response dated April 22, 2002, to the Response and Amendment filed February 25, 2002, in response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2001, in the above-identified patent application. Thank you. Hope Graves, Secretary for Doreen Y. Trujillo**

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On April 22, 2002  
Doreen Yarko Trujillo  
Doreen Yarko Trujillo Reg. No. 35,719

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**COMMUNICATION SUPPLEMENTAL TO RESPONSE**

A Response and Amendment was filed February 25, 2002 in response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2001 in the above-identified application. The present communication is supplemental thereto. It is believed that no extension of time is necessary to file this Communication. In the event this belief is in error, Applicant hereby requests the necessary extension of time and authorizes the charging of any necessary fee to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.

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An "Attachment for PTO-948" was attached to the end of the Office Action, but not referenced therein. During a teleconference today, Examiner Brumback was advised by the undersigned of the attachment and that the drawings would be forthcoming, albeit most likely after the extended deadline for responding to the Office Action. The undersigned was advised by Examiner Brumback that this would be acceptable.

Respectfully submitted,



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